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Applicant(s): F. Andrew UBEL et al.)
Serial No.: 09/551,706)
Confirmation No.: 2678)
Filed: 18 April 2000)
For: APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR PACKAGING AND STORING
MOISTURE-SENSITIVE PRODUCTS IN RESEALABLE POUCHES

Group Art Unit: 3728
Examiner: Troy Arnold, III

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Claims 3, 4, 24, 33-37, and 47-60 have been cancelled by Applicants and claims 25-27, 38-42, 44-46, and 62 were canceled via Examiner's Amendment on 19 March 2004.

As a result of these amendments, fewer than all of the currently named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention being claimed in the above-identified application. It is therefore respectfully requested that inventorship in this application be corrected, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b) by DELETING the following inventor:

Melvin Y. Yong

It is acknowledged that the invention of Melvin Y. Yong is no longer being claimed in the present application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b)(2), please charge the processing fee set forth in §1.17(i) in the amount of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 13-4895.

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**It is respectfully requested that this amendment of inventorship be entered and
acknowledgement of the same be indicated in an Official Communication.**

Respectfully submitted for
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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR §1.8:

The undersigned hereby certifies that the Transmittal Letter and the paper(s), as described hereinabove, are being transmitted by facsimile in accordance with 37 CFR §1.6(d) to the Patent and Trademark Office, addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 19th day of April, 2004, at 1:53 p.m. (Central Time).

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